

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Orlow <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit:	1616
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Commissioner for Patents
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks. Applicants also submit herewith a supplemental Information Disclosure Statement for consideration by the Examiner.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.